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Morris E. Lewis

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Application Number: 09/339,059      RECEIVED      Art Unit: 2165

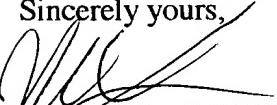
Examiner: Nicholas D. Rosen      JUL 12 2002  
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For: METHOD, APPARATUS AND PROCESSES FOR MANUAL,  
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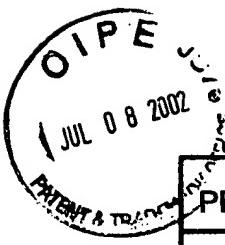
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks, Washington,  
D.C. 20231

In response to the Office Action mailed on or about April 8, 2002,  
and in accordance with 37 CFR 1.136(a), I respectfully request an  
extension of one month in order to file my response.

Sincerely yours,  
  
MORRIS E. LEWIS  
APPLICANT  
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This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows  
(check time period desired):

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ 55.00.                            |           |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.   |           |
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| <input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.  |           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number _____.<br>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet. |           |

I am the  applicant/inventor

- assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.  
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).
- attorney or agent of record.
- attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  
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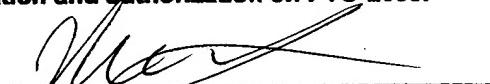
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